

# Elk Point REVIEW

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## Retired teachers ignore call of bells

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**A WALK FOR ALL AGES --** Everyone from great-grandparents to infants took part in Sunday's Grandparents Day Walk-a-Thon. Grandmothers Bernice Capjack-Hugo and Lois Sheplaw, Elk Point Mayor Lyle Frisby, mom Laura Sheplaw and her daughter lead this group of walkers, while great-grandmother Hazel Hannah stops to chat with FCSS director Deanna Easthope.

## Elk Point celebrates Grandparents Day

"What a wonderful turnout!" enthused Grandparents Day celebration organizer Diana Anderson, as four generations crowded into the Seniors Recreation Centre following Sunday's well-attended Grandparents' Day Walk-a-Thon. "It's wonderful to see so many families here despite the combining. It's a real tribute to grandparents."

"I thought we had a good turnout last year," Mayor Lyle Frisby commented. "This really beats it. Next year, everyone bring two more people with you!" He added congratulations to all grandparents, present and not present, on their special day.

"Sometimes we don't remember how important grandparents are," Mrs. Anderson said as she pointed out two huge bulletin boards overflowing with posters, poetry and stories created in tribute to local grandparents. "Grandparents are a safe place for us... they love us unconditionally."

The Walk-a-Thon was sponsored by the Alberta Council on Aging, an advocacy group for seniors, but Mrs. Anderson said because of the extreme cost of utilities, a percentage of the \$4290 proceeds from the walk would be donated to the Seniors Recreation Centre. She later presented Pioneer Circle president Deanna Easthope with a cheque for \$1186 to help operate the centre.

Eighty-seven-year-old Winnie Shepherd was the most senior walker, and received a corsage. The youngest registered walker was four-year-old Darcy Boudreau, who took home a beanie bear. Top fundraiser was great-grandmother Peggy Maas, who brought in \$866 in pledges and who was accompanied by 26 family members in the walk. She received a gift certificate from Outback 646 Ranch House. Seanna Joye Leaf was the top fundraiser in the younger set, with \$211, and also received a bear.

Mrs. Maas and Seanna Joye were joined by six other walkers who brought in over \$200 in pledges, for a draw for a ruby-and-diamond ring. Winner Betty Radies brought in \$270, while other qualifiers were Amelia Bowen (\$250), Norma Berg (\$210), Bernice Capjack-Hugo (\$357), Marie Loughran (\$555) and Dennis Jasinsky (\$215). Each received their choice of prizes, including shirts, gloves, caps and bears.

Entertainment included songs from young mom Daleen Pinder, a visit from a very regal Queen Elizabeth lookalike, reminiscences about the grandparents in her life from new grandparent Gabe Bayduza, and the junior group of Elk Point Ukrainian Dancers, who delighted the audience with two numbers.

Diana Anderson announced the winners of the Grandparents Day poster and creative writing contests, with prizes sponsored by Home Town Grocers, Northbound 41, Woody's Trophy and Gifts, the Empress Family Restaurant, Hilltop Service and ReMax Lakeland Realty. Winners were: K-3: Poster - Rachel Walton; Story/Poem - Hayley Ference. Grade 4: Poster - Jamison Wozniak and Seanna Joye Leaf; Story/Poem - Kelsey Lindquist and Seanna Joye Leaf. Grade 5A: Poster - Katelyn Roberts;

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## Run for the cause - Sunday, September 14 is Terry Fox Day

The Terry Fox Run is back in Elk Point, and will go Sunday, September 14, beginning and ending at the Lions Concession at Elk Point Recreation Park.

Registration begins at 10:00 a.m., and this year's Run organizer Brandi Farrell said participants may start walking or running any time after 10:30 a.m. and complete their circuit any time before 3:30 p.m. In addition to the usual 10-kilometer course, there are shorter two- and five-kilometer courses for those wishing to participate in a shorter run.

There will be a complimentary barbecue for participants at the end of the run, and added attractions include a dunk tank, face painting and draws.

Pledge sheets are available at a number of local businesses, including Elk Point Co-op, Home Town Grocers, Kelly's Closet and Video Point.

Elk Point is one of 115 Alberta communi-

ties to host a Terry Fox Run this year, as volunteers once again take up the cause of cancer victim, amputee and marathon runner Terry Fox. Fox ran 5374 kilometers between April 12 and September 1, 1980, from St. John's, Newfoundland to Thunder Bay, Ontario, ending his Marathon of Hope only when the bone cancer, which took his right leg more than three years earlier, spread to his lungs.

Midway through his run, Fox said "Even if I don't finish, we need others to continue. It's got to keep going without me." Fox died June 21, 1981, but his dream lives on.

The first Terry Fox Run was held September 13 of that year at 760 sites around the world, raising \$3.5 million for cancer research. Last year, \$6.3 million for cancer research was raised at 627 Terry Fox Run sites in 48 countries around the world, from Bergen, Norway to the Arabian Gulf.

### ■ Up Front

## Chamber of Commerce making a fresh start for fall

Elk Point Chamber of Commerce is back in business after the summer break, with plans for some major changes in the near future.

Chamber president Glenn Harms has tendered his resignation due to business commitments, and during discussions regarding his replacement, it was suggested that the fall, rather than February, might be the best time of year to hold the organization's annual meeting and election of officers. Chamber bylaws state that the annual meeting is held as soon as possible after the end of the fiscal year, which until this time has coincided with the calendar year. A

motion was passed to change the fiscal year end to August 31, provided this does not conflict with the organization's bylaws. Once the possibility of changing the fiscal year is determined, a date will be set for the annual meeting and a nominating committee headed by Rod Randall will seek out members willing to run for executive positions.

Christmas Extravaganza planning will get underway almost immediately. Suzan Bartholomew will head the committee for another year, and already has a few volunteers on her list, with hopes that more will be added. A meeting will be called in the

very near future to get planning for this popular annual event underway.

Also coming up in the near future is the Northern Lights Library System mini conference on October 2 and 3. NLLS director Mircea Panciuk asked Chamber members for their assistance in making librarians and library board members from across the region welcome, and suggested some may wish to offer special discounts to conference delegates.

The Chamber looked back at a busy summer. Tourist Information Centre statistics show an encouraging 27% increase in visitation this year. The TIC is now closed for the

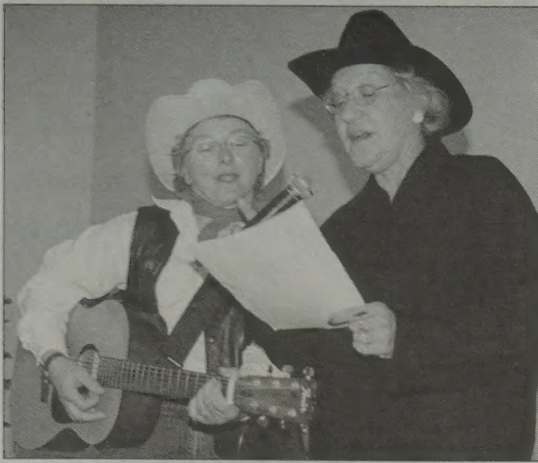
season, but statistics collected by this year's staff will be used to determine peak hours and days to facilitate planning for next year's operation. Vicki Brooker, who was given a round of applause for overseeing this year's TIC operation, will attend the Travel Alberta conference later this fall on the Chamber's behalf.

The Chamber's Canada Day pancake breakfast was a great success, with approximately 750 breakfasts served, and all agreed that the entertainment by Homer Poitras and his band had been a worthwhile and enjoyable addition to the event.

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# community NEWS



**PARTNERS IN RHYME** - Linda Grabas and Bernice Cajack - Hugo salute "Grandparents in Our Town."

## Alberta's chief consumer protection law is up for review

Help the *Fair Trading Act* keep pace with a changing marketplace. New standards are being considered for:

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- Warranties
- Credit reporting and
- Contracts for services such as modelling, tanning and fitness clubs.

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- E-mailing MajorProjects@gov.ab.ca
- Or contacting your local MLA constituency office.



**FOUR GENERATIONS** - Great-grandmother Olive Nelson is surrounded by great-granddaughters Amanda, Seanna-Joye and Olivia Leaf, grandson-in-law Albin Leaf, daughter and son-in-law Deanna and Gordon Fakeley at the Grandparents Day tea.

## Grandparents Day

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Story/Poem - Mel Brooker, Grade 5B: Poster - Ashley Cardinal; Story/Poem - Alyssa McKay.

Plaques were presented to four four-generation families present for the occasion - Peggy Maas and family, the Pinder/Vogel/Gundersen family, the Cinna-

mon/Myshaniuk/Boudreau family and the Nelson/Fakeley/Leaf family.

Linda Grabas and Bernice Capjack-Hugo wound up the afternoon with an original song by Ms Capjack, "The Grandparents of Our Town".

### POSTER, POEM / STORY CONTEST sponsors

Dennis Jasinsky and Sharon Smith congratulate (left to right) Ashley Cardinal, Hayley Ference, Katelyn Roberts, Rachel Walton, Seanna-Joye Leaf, Mel Brooker, Kelsey Lindquist and (front) Jamison Wozniak.



**SUPER FUNDRAISER** - Peggy Maas (left) collected \$866 in pledges for the Alberta Council on Aging. Diana Anderson presents her with a gift certificate from Outback 646 Ranch House.



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## THE 2003 TERRY FOX RUN Sunday, September 14

### Proclamation

## Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Awareness Day

September 9, 2003

**WHEREAS:** Children are our most important resource and it is our responsibility to care for, nurture and protect them; and

**WHEREAS:** Statistics indicate that individuals with Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorders (FASD) in Canada and industrialized nations throughout the world, face the risk of developmental delays or learning disabilities, early school drop-outs, homelessness, addictions, trouble with the law and mental illness; and

**WHEREAS:** To reduce the incidence of FASD, it is essential that women in pregnancy are provided with support and information; and

**WHEREAS:** Parents, professionals, individuals living with FASD and other people around the world will observe the fifth international FASD Awareness Day on September 9, 2003, with a Minute of Reflection at 9:00 a.m.

**NOW THEREFORE:** I, Lyle Frisby, Mayor of Elk Point, on behalf of Elk Point Town Council, do hereby proclaim September 9, 2003 as

**Fetal Alcohol Spectrum Disorder Awareness Day** in Elk Point. I encourage everyone to act with compassion and understanding toward these individuals whose lives were affected by alcohol before they were born.

Lyle Frisby  
Mayor

### ■ Back to School

## Beat the brown bag blues

Back to school means packing lunches. Boring lunch items are left uneaten, get traded, or thrown out - leading to the brown bag blues for you and your child.

Looking for some new ideas to add some zip to packed lunches? Children are more likely to eat lunch if they choose what goes in it. Involve your kids in shopping for lunch supplies, but be prepared to set healthy guidelines.

The key is to choose a variety of foods from each of the four food groups from Canada's Food Guide to Healthy Eating... it's your key to good nutrition as well. Foods from the Other Foods group can add variety, taste and enjoyment to lunches. Some of these foods are higher in fat, sugar and empty calories, so use less of them.

Before going shopping, put your heads together to plan some lunch ideas. Make a grocery list and make sure that everyone has eaten prior to setting off to the grocery store. Remember that "specials" are more appealing to hungry tummies.

At the grocery store, have your children choose the type of fruit, cheese or bread. Variety is one way to prevent the brown bag blues.

You can offer a variety of healthy choices for lunches (that they helped buy) and

your children can help pack their own. An insulated lunch bag and ice pack will improve the taste of puddings, yogurt, drinks, sandwiches and cheese by keeping them cold. A frozen juice box works well to keep foods cold, and thaws for a cool drink by lunchtime. Yogurt tubes can be packed frozen; they will thaw by noon for a cool, safe treat.



Linda  
FOX

Registered Dietitian

Kids eat lunch quickly so pack fun- and easy-to-eat foods. Here are some examples of foods that add zip to bagged lunches:

■ Convenient and healthy items include yogurt in a tube, cheese sticks, pretzels, carrot sticks, bagels, crackers and cheese and oatmeal cookies.

■ Leftover pizza is always popular, and depending on the type, covers the four food groups!

■ Wraps are great because they are so versatile. Fill them with anything from peanut butter and banana to leftover chicken stir-fry to veggies and cheese. Add variety by changing the flavor of the wrap: plain, sun-dried tomato, whole wheat and spinach all

add a different twist to the same old sandwich.

■ Leftovers such as soup, stew, spaghetti sauce, macaroni and cheese, etc. can be frozen in small containers for use in lunches (providing they have access to a microwave).

■ Wrap lettuce wedges and other raw vegetables separately or place them in their own containers to keep them fresh and crisp.

■ Make everything as easy to eat as possible: cut a tomato into wedges, an orange into quarters, celery, carrots and turnips into sticks, cucumber or zucchini into slices, etc.

■ Stock a selection of single serving foods in easy-open or pull-top cans for emergency use. They go from the cupboard to the lunch box with no wrapping needed and can be eaten directly from the can. Choose from a variety of fruits and juices, baked beans, spaghetti with ground beef, several flavors of puddings and many other foods which are available in individual containers.

■ When serving a raw fruit or vegetable, be sure it is thoroughly washed.

■ Include a napkin, also a spoon or crackers when necessary.

Remember, variety wards off those brown bag blues!

For more information, contact Linda Fox, RD, Elk Point Health Centre.

## Alzheimer Coffee Break Sept. 18

On September 18, remember to take an Alzheimer Coffee Break at the Empress or the Roadside restaurants in Elk Point, at Heritage Lodge or at the Elk Point Public Library. Your coffee money will be donated to the Alzheimer Society to support them with their programs and services. If you want to make individual donations over \$10, the Alzheimer Society will issue tax receipts. Just let us know. If you are unable to enjoy coffee at one of the two hosting restaurants, and wish to make a donation, just stop in at the FCSS office.

The Alzheimer Society is a not-for-profit health organization dedicated to helping people affected by Alzheimer Disease. The Society consists of a national office, 10 provincial organizations and more than 140 local groups across the country.

What is Alzheimer Disease? Alzheimer Disease is a degenerative brain disorder. It is not a normal part of aging. There is no known cause or cure for Alzheimer Disease. Currently, medications are available to treat some of the symptoms. Alzheimer Disease can strike adults at any age, but occurs most commonly in people over 65. Some 364,000 Canadians, or one in 13 over the age of 65, currently have Alzheimer Disease or a related dementia. Over 15,000 Albertans have Alzheimer Disease.

How does the Alzheimer Society help? They can provide support services. They arrange for groups that provide a safe place to share information, thoughts, feelings and experiences. The Alzheimer Society provides a wide range of information - in print, videos and audiotapes on Alzheimer Disease, warning signs, diagnosis and treatment, caregiving, risk factors, research and other related topics. The Alzheimer Society has put together

er booklets, one of which is called "Guidelines for Care". This booklet sets out 11 basic principles that define quality care for people with Alzheimer Disease, whether the person with the disease lives at home or in a long-term care facility. The Alzheimer Society also has a bilingual Web site which is another source of information, [www.alzheimer.ca](http://www.alzheimer.ca). The Alzheimer Society is a leading source of funds for Alzheimer research in Canada, investing over \$3 million annually to speed up the search for the cause and cure of Alzheimer Disease, and improve the lives of those affected.

Committed to supporting research into all aspects of Alzheimer Disease, the Alzheimer Society provides grants and training awards that fund research at Canadian universities and hospitals and help nurture new talent. Canadian researchers supported by the Alzheimer Society have made major advances, including discoveries related to genetic causes of the disease. The Society gives equal importance to biomedical research that provides insights into Alzheimer Disease, and to psychosocial research that leads to improvements in Alzheimer care. Recent developments have been encouraging. But there is still a need for ongoing research. So, remember, let us support the Alzheimer Society on Thursday, September 18, 2003 and take an Alzheimer Coffee Break at either the Empress or Roadside restaurants, Heritage Lodge or Elk Point Public Library and donate your coffee money to the Alzheimer Society.

Also remember that tonight, Tuesday, September 9 from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Elks Hall, is our annual Elk Point Community Information Night. Please come. We would love to see you.



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from the FCSS desk

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# commencement 2003



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**GRAD TASHA YOPYK** is congratulated by F. G. Miller principal Jim Hawkins, who handed out the graduation scrolls at the completion of the commencement exercises on August 29.

**A CANDLE TO LIGHT HER WAY -**  
2003 graduate Laci Jacobson pauses to light her candle as she joins the 2003 Commencement Exercises recessional at F. G. Miller High School.



**CRUSADER GRADS** Bradley Young and Kirsty Lindquist hand over the ceremonial Crusader sword to Dana Parenteau and John Braga of the Class of 2004.

## ENERGY IN ACTION

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### Protecting Alberta's habitat together

The parkland region – a great swath of aspen grassland cutting across the province between Red Deer and Edmonton and the Saskatchewan border – provides vital habitat for waterfowl, white-tailed deer, and several endangered species, yet only about 10 per cent of its native vegetation remains. The rest has been ploughed under or lost to industrial and residential development.

What's left of this habitat cannot be protected well unless everyone with a stake in its future works together. That's why the petroleum industry, in partnership with many environmental associations and government agencies, is committed to the Parkland Natural Region Inventory and GIS Mapping project.

The project identifies each habitat by location, size and ownership, and then maps them using sophisticated technology. This allows vegetation, wildlife populations, water bodies, municipal boundaries and more than four dozen other kinds of information to be plotted on separate map 'layers'. Those layers can then be combined as needed to simplify planning and resource management. Nearly all of the inventorying and mapping of the vegetation is complete.

Alberta Sustainable Resource Development oversees the project partnership. It brings together the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers, Petroleum Technology Alliance Canada, Alberta Conservation Association, North American Waterfowl Management Plan/Ducks Unlimited Canada, Canadian Wildlife Service, Nature Conservancy of Canada and Alberta Research Council. All will have access to the study data to help with their own planning.

Ron Bjorge, Sustainable Resource Development's Head of Wildlife Management for the Southeast Region, Prairies and Parkland, is the project coordinator. "Everyone involved is very interested in the native vegetation that remains. It is important in terms of its natural values, its economic benefits, and its aesthetic qualities. With a comprehensive knowledge of the landscape, we are all in a much better position to identify sensitive areas and plan accordingly so that they are conserved."

Aspen occupies the majority of woodcuts in Alberta and it is important for industry and environmental associations to understand the management and value of this tree species.

### Classroom with a canopy

Teaching kids about the environment is something the petroleum industry is doing in communities all over Alberta.

Companies like ConocoPhillips Canada, Shell Canada, Murphy Oil, Petro-Canada, and TransCanada have forged strong relationships with groups such as the not-for-profit Tree Canada Foundation. Started in 1992, the Foundation offers education, technical assistance, resources and financial support that enable Canadians to plant and care for trees.

Ken Birkett, Tree Canada's Technical Advisor for Southern Alberta, says "The continuing support of oil and gas companies has been a tremendous benefit to our program."

Perhaps the best known Tree Canada initiative is the Greening Canada's School Grounds program. This program uses trees to beautify the school grounds, filter greenhouse gas emissions from the air, provide shade for children, and create an outdoor classroom in which the kids can study trees and the wildlife. With the help of energy companies, the Tree Canada Foundation has planted more than 50 million trees from coast to coast.

ConocoPhillips Canada has been a Tree Canada sponsor for years now, working in rural communities like Brooks and Big Valley. The company's support for the schoolyard program is only one of its many initiatives aimed at educating children about wise environmental action.

"This is grassroots environmental education," says Donna Rubenstein, Manager of Sustainable Development at ConocoPhillips. "It creates a foundation for positive change among the next generation."



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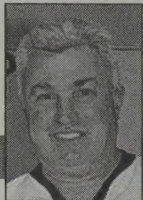
review **SPORTS**

# Arena Operating Committee sings the utility bill blues

Minor Hockey registration starts tonight at Information Night

If you or I tried this they would probably lock us up in jail and throw away the key. How can they justify increasing our utilities by so much? Two years ago, the utilities for the A.G. Ross Arena were \$36,000 for the year. This past year August to August, the utilities (gas and power) soared to \$47,000. What the heck is up with that, that's \$11,000 more, which works out to be a 30% increase. Add on to that about a \$1000 increase, approximately 25% more than last year, on our insurance bill and everything else that has been increasing. By the middle of January, if this keeps up, there won't be any money left to pay any of the bills. Now, this comes just when everyone thought

things would get a little easier this year, the last loan payment of \$16,000 is due at the end of November. This



**doug BASSETT**  
Review Sports

loan started at about \$250,000over ten years ago, back after the expansion in 1992. Just when it started to look like we could take a rest, put our legs up for a while, bang, then this happens. So where's this money going to come from? That's simple, user pays. Sure! Almost 150 of those users are under 18 years old. If we were

to increase everyone's ice fees by 30 % what do you think would happen? Parents would have some tough choices to make. Put your son or daughter into skating or hockey, or choose another sport or hobby, and just forget about Canada's national sports. Can you blame them? Parents can't afford it. They have their own utilities and insurance to pay for. Outrage. O. K., cheer up, I just had to get that off my chest, we will survive, there's no sense sitting around and whining about it. As a coach I would say to the team in a tough hockey game. "Suck it up boys, and get to work." Obviously this means

our volunteers are going to be asked to do more fundraising. What's new, eh? How about a raffle? I know everyone hates to sell raffle tickets, including myself, but this one is different, this one is something that everyone would just love to have. Very soon you will be asked to buy tickets on the authentic autographed Wayne Gretzky L.A. game jersey that comes in a beautiful glass case for display. The winning ticket will be drawn at next spring's annual Minor Hockey windup. This jersey was graciously donated to the arena by Cal's Home Hardware to use as a fundraiser, and Adolph Porcina has arranged some extras to go with it. Further details will

come out in the next few weeks. Also another great fundraiser in the past, the annual Skate-A-Thon, which is shared with the Skating Club, is slated to go earlier this year, November 11th. Remembrance Day in the afternoon is the date that we are looking at. Pledge forms will be out soon, so help us out and sponsor our skaters. Anyone with some other fundraising ideas, we're all ears. In other news, the annual work bees have started, every Monday night from now until the ice is in. Come out get involved and lend a hand. And coming up tonight at the annual Information Night, the first Minor Hockey registration. If you miss

tonight's registration, the second one will be held on next Wednesday, September 17th and the final registration date is slated for Saturday September 27th. Register before the 30th of September and you will receive \$25.00 off your fees. Partial payment and post-dated cheque will be accepted. And now for the K. A. Campbell's quote of the week: "If they can fit through the door, I don't want them." Last week's answer to: "We had a lot of triple- threat guys- slip, fumble and fall." Pittsburgh catcher Joe Garagiola from the early 1950's. Got any scoops? Now you can Email them to me at sportshound007@hotmail.com

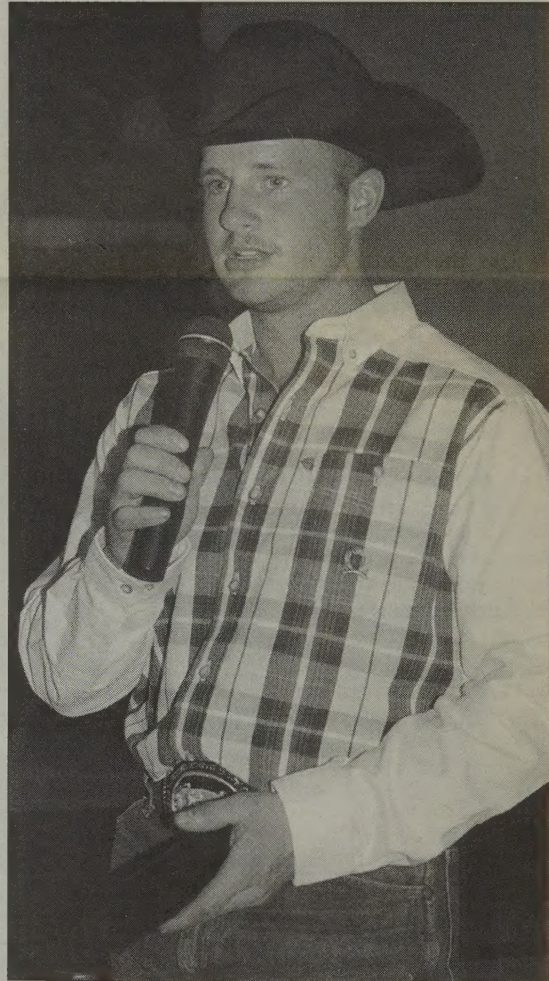
## Elk Point competes at LRA Showdown '03



**LIFETIME MEMBER -** Elk Point was well represented at the Lakeland Rodeo Association's 25th annual Showdown finals. Wendy Young (left) received one of the association's five gold lifetime membership cards. She also competed in the Ladies Barrel Racing finals.



**LOOKING GOOD!** Austin Young took home a Best Dressed Cowboy trophy from the LRA Finals Kids' Day, while sister Spencer was runner-up in the Cowgirls 5 and Under division.



**NOVICE HORSE RIDER** Jeremy Heraid received the year-end runner-up award for the LRA's 2003 rodeo season. He also won the first go-round of the finals with a great 71-point ride on Miller Rodeo's Awesome Lady, but both he and season leader Ryan Wozny were edged out by Dallas Nitschke for the year-end championship.

**A.G. ROSS ARENA  
OPERATING COMMITTEE**

**General Meeting**

Wednesday, September 3, 2003  
7:30 pm in the Horizon Room

**Elk Point Minor Hockey  
PLAYER  
REGISTRATION**

TONIGHT: Sept. 9, Information Night  
at Elks Hall - 7-9 pm will take registrations!

2nd REGISTRATION, Wednesday, Sept. 17  
at A.G. Ross Arena, 7:00 to 9:00 pm

LAST REGISTRATION, Saturday, Sept. 27  
at A.G. Ross Arena, Noon till 3:00 pm

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## community NEWS

## Heeere's John - the voice of F. G. Miller High School

Hello everyone, I hope you are having a good day. My name is John Braga and I am in Grade 12 at F. G. Miller Jr./Sr. High School. Over the next year I am going to be the student reporter for the Elk Point Review. I felt that before I begin telling you about what events are happening at the school (as I will be doing in future articles) I should introduce myself to you.

I live near Elk Point

with my mother (Trudy Braga), father (Dominic Braga), and three siblings (Lisa, James, and



john  
BRAGA

F. G. Miller High

Vincent). My grandparents, Mary and Neil Nelson, live just down the road from us and

are a very important part of my life. I enjoy spending time with all of them and believe that a good relationship with your family is one of the most important things in life. I sing in the Elk Point Community Choir with my grandmother, and played six minor characters in the choir's rendition of "My Fair Lady" last March.

As an academic student I strongly believe in

balancing my life between enjoyment as well as work. I am an avid reader of Fantasy novels, as well as the latest scientific revolutions in "Discover Magazine". I live to travel, and enjoyed a trip to Italy and Greece three years ago through the school's travel club. I also went on two month trip across Canada this summer with my grandmother, brother, and aunt's family.

Participation within

the school is also important to me. I have just finished two years as Treasurer of the school's Students Union, and I am now on the Executive as a Publicity Director. I am arranging the revival of the student controlled newspaper known as the Crusader Clarion under the guidance of Mrs. Bintz. Crusaders International, which is a volunteering club at the school, was founded by Mrs. Bjorkman, several

other students, and myself three years ago. When the time comes I hope to also be on the Graduating Class Executive.

Over the next year I will strive to provide you with an informed image of F. G. Miller High School and the events which occur within it. I hope you will enjoy and benefit from this opportunity to share my understanding of F. G. Miller, I know I will enjoy it.

## School safety tips

By Alberta Motor Association

Review Contributor

## Tips for Motorists:

- Recognize school and playground zones and obey the speed limits.
- Make eye contact with children to ensure that they know you see them.
- Scan between parked vehicles and other places where children are hard to see.
- Park at least five meters away from crosswalks.
- Drive with your headlights on to ensure that children and other drivers can see you.
- Avoid using cell phones and other distractions when driving.

## Tips for Students

- Make eye contact with the drivers - don't assume that drivers see you.
- Use the Point, Pause and Proceed method to cross the street.
- Watch for turning vehicles.
- Check each lane of traffic before you cross.
- Walk... never run when crossing the street.

## Tips for Parents

- Avoid adding to the congestion in front of schools - try to park a little further away and walk with your child.
- Ensure that children exit and enter on the curb side of the vehicle.
- Avoid backing up or making illegal U-turns.
- Park at least five meters (one full car length) away from a crosswalk.
- Remember to model safe pedestrian behaviors yourself.

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## Albertans lacking in literacy skills

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Results released from the 1995 International Adult Literacy Survey (IALS) show that of the seven participating countries, Sweden ranked the highest and Poland the lowest in literacy skills. Canada, the U.S., Germany, Switzerland and the Netherlands ranked in the mid-level range for various literacy skills.

One out of every three adults in Alberta possess reading skills that limit their ability to deal with much of the written material they encounter every day. One in seven adults in Alberta are at the lowest literacy level. They have serious difficulty dealing with printed materials.

Today's new jobs require highly liter-

ate workers. Even though people are often better educated and environments are more literate than ever before, a large and increasing number of adults find their skills are deficient in everyday situations. Employers tend to improve skills of their most literate workers while ignoring people who struggle with reading and writing.

Higher levels of literacy decrease unemployment rates. Workers with poor literacy skills are particularly vulnerable to layoff and displacement, and once unemployed, they may find it exceedingly difficult to find new jobs.

Lifelong learning is important in acquiring new compe-

tencies and qualifications. Literate adults and senior citizens are far better equipped to maintain their independence and quality of life, thus lessening the need for social services.

Thirty six per cent of Canadian workers have marginal reading and writing abilities. Between fifty-six and sixty-four per cent of unemployed Canadians are marginally literate.

Literacy problems cost Canadian employers \$4 billion per year and the country \$10 billion (The Business Task Force on Literacy).

The majority of callers to Alberta literacy programs were born in Canada and speak English as their first language (ABC Canada-LEARN Campaign National Research Study (1996)).

For more information about literacy in Alberta contact: The Alberta Literacy Help Line, a project of the Alberta Association for Adult Literacy, 1-800-767-3231

The above information was provided by the Alberta Association for Adult Literacy (AAAL).

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# business DIRECTORY

## Hilltop Café now open under new management

It's now called the DH Hilltop Café, and new manager Dave Hall plans to "give every customer the best service we can." Wendy Eagles, who with chef husband Doug, makes up the balance of the Hilltop management team, adds, "we want to make everyone feel at home."

Elk Point's northernmost restaurant is currently undergoing repainting and redecorating, with Wendy adding "some homey touches," as the trio works toward turning it into a family-friendly restaurant. A malfunctioning dishwasher shut the restaurant down on the long weekend, but it has since been put back in shape and renovations are full steam ahead. "We are professional people," Hall says. "We promise it will get better... we believe in its potential."

Along with breakfast specials, lunch with both soup-and-sandwich and hot meal specials, and dinner specials daily, the DH Hilltop offers an expanded children's menu, a 15% discount for students with ID cards, and a 20% discount for seniors. A Friday lunch buffet and a Sunday brunch are already gaining popularity.

The restaurant also plans to cater to businesses and crews. "We can do bag lunches, we will set up accounts for companies, we can prepare hot lunches for pickup, and we'll take reservations for supper." Group reservations also receive a discount.

Hall's Jamaican background, already evident in such menu specialties as Jamaican Jerk Chicken and curried shrimp, will be reflected in a touch of

the tropics when the lounge opens in the near future. "It will be called 'Cool Runnings Lounge - Peace be the Journey,'" Hall says, recalling the popular and hilarious movie about a Jamaican Olympic bobsled team. "We're going to have a dance floor in the lounge, with a variety of music, and the kitchen will be open to serve the lounge until 12:30 a.m., although the restaurant closes at 10:00 p.m." The restaurant opens at 6:00 a.m.

Hall and the Eagles are enthusiastic about becoming part of the Elk Point community. "We're here to put back into the community, and to show we care. We want to be part of the family."

Watch for DH Hilltop Café's grand opening in the near future.

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## REACH reaching out to volunteers

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The study also showed that a higher percentage of Albertans who lived in small towns volunteered, compared with those who lived in cities and towns with 500,000 or more residents.

"We realize the non-profit organizations in our areas are essential," says Dick Millar, gen-

eral manager of The REACH Corporation. "These groups provide services and organize special events for our communities. We appreciate the hard work and dedication from the organizations' volunteers."

Unfortunately, over one third (34%) of all volunteer hours were contributed by 5% of the volunteers, who gave 596 hours or more of their time. Some groups are starting to experience volunteer burnout and The Reach Corporation would like to help.

"We are partnering with Alberta Community Development to provide board development and volunteer training for nonprofit groups," Millar states.

"We hope the training will help these organizations run more efficiently and recruit new volunteers." These one-day training sessions will be offered in several locations throughout St. Paul and Smoky Lake counties at the end of September. Community groups will receive invitations and training will be advertised in local newspapers. Anyone who currently volunteers with a non-profit group or those who would like to get involved are invited to attend. These training sessions are sponsored in part by Western Economic Diversification.

If you would like more information, contact The REACH Corporation at 645-5782.

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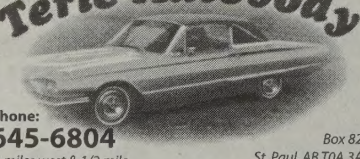
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# Elk Point Library hosting Alzheimer Coffee Break on September 18

By Daphne Schnurer  
Librarian

This year, the Alzheimer Society of Alberta is collaborating with public libraries across the province for the Society's annual Coffee Break fundraising initiative.

Northern Lights Library System has sent packages to all member libraries and believes this is a great partnership opportunity for the local library, the community and the Alzheimer Society.

Elk Point Public Library will be hosting their Coffee Break in

support of the Alzheimer Society on **Thursday, September 18 from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m.**

Stop in and join us for coffee and a Danish and make your contribution here toward Alzheimer research.

Since one in three Canadians knows someone (either a relative or close personal friend) with Alzheimer Disease, it is clear that this is a disease that touches all people. In Alberta there are an estimated 28,390 cases with a projected increase of 8572 cases this year.

## Come down and visit!

Now that life is getting back to normal after the summer holidays, why not drop in for a visit and look at our selection of new books. Remember, you can also access the internet here at no charge to the public.

Don't forget -- we have now returned to our winter hours (although we hope winter is still a long way in the future). We are open:

**Monday: 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.**  
**Tuesday: 1 p.m. - 5 p.m.**  
**Wednesday: Noon-8 p.m.**

**Thursday: 1 p.m.-5 p.m.**  
**Friday: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.**

Storytime is back each Friday morning at 10:30 a.m., with stories, games and crafts, and we held our first Seniors Tea of the new season last week. The next tea will be coming up on the first Tuesday in October.

## OBITUARY

### JOHNS, Frank

On August 29, 2003, Mr. Frank Johns of Elk Point passed away at the age of 80 years.

He is survived by his loving wife, Ida; his seven loving step-children; numerous grandchildren and great-grandchildren; and 1 sister; also numerous nieces & nephews. He was predeceased by his parents & 4 brothers.

A Funeral Service was held Tuesday, September 2 at 2:00 P.M. at the Elk Point Baptist Church, Elk Point. Pastor Jim MacLellan officiated with interment in the the Elk Point East Cemetery, Elk Point. If friends desire, donations may be made to the Elk Point Extendicare c/o Box 425, St. Paul, AB T0A 3A0.

Yewchin's Funeral Chapel Ltd., St. Paul, 1-780-645-5177.

## OBITUARY

### HABIAC, Mike

On September 3, 2003, Mr. Mike Habiak of Elk Point passed away at the age of 79 years.

Beloved husband of Mary; loving father of Marilyn Habiak of Abbotsford, B.C., Carol Maas of Elk Point, Sharon Habiak (Dr. John deVries) of Calgary & Michael Habiak of Elk Point; Dido to Chantelle, Jonathan, Alexander & Michael III; Step-Dido to Ashley & Skylar; loving brother of Mary Bochon of Elk Point. Predeceased by his parents, John & Annie.

A Funeral Service was held Saturday, September 6 at 10:30 a.m. at the Elk Point United Church, Elk Point. Reverend Joep Langejans officiated with interment in Elk Point East Cemetery, Elk Point. If friends desire, donations may be made to the Elk Point United Church c/o Box 425 St. Paul, AB T0A 3A0.

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# Historical Society Hospital Day

Mark your calendar for Saturday, September 20, and come to the Elk Point Seniors Recreation Centre for a glimpse into the past.

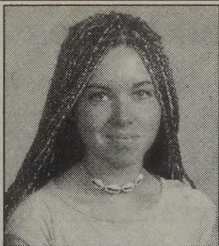
Elk Point Historical Society is hosting their annual afternoon of history, this year featuring health care in Elk Point through the years.

"Hospital Day" begins at noon, when displays of photos, clippings and memorabilia will open to the public. Presentations by a variety of speakers are scheduled to begin at 1 p.m., telling us about

various facets of the health care scene, from the time of pioneer doctors A. G. Ross and F. G. Miller to the coming of health regions to Alberta. Afternoon tea will be served.

## IN MEMORIAM

**SERNAIAK, Sheena Dawn**  
Oct. 19, 1985-Sept. 9, 2002



In loving memory of my daughter, Sheena Dawn Serniak, who passed away September 9, 2002.

*If roses grow in heaven  
Lord pick a bunch for me,  
Place them in my daughter's arms,  
And tell her they're from me.  
Tell her that I love her & I miss her  
And when she turns to smile,  
Place a kiss upon her cheek,  
And hold her for a while.  
Because remembering her is easy  
I do it every day.  
Missing her is a heartache  
That never goes away.*

I miss you every minute of every day and I'll always love you to the moon and back. Love from Dad, Brenda and Family.

## THANK YOU

### ALLEN

The family of Daniel Allen would like to extend our heartfelt gratitude for all who attended Daniel's services, the many condolences, as well as donations of flowers and contributions to the Ferguson Flats Cemetery.

Thanks to all the staff of Parkview Nursing Home for all the care you gave to Daniel during his stay with you. We would also like to thank Dr. Ramful.

We thank Reverend McGrath for the wonderful service and also Reverend Joep for the kind visits he paid to Daniel while he was at Parkview.

Thank you to all the pallbearers for being part of Daniel's services. We also appreciate the wonderful lunch provided by the Elk Point Seniors Ladies.

Thanks Sherry, for that beautiful eulogy, it brought back some great memories for all of us. We also appreciate the lovely singing by the United Church Choir and the addition of the veterans service by the Legion members. A final thank you to Yewchin's Funeral Chapel for all your help & support during this time.

**Thank You All.**  
**The Family of Daniel Allen**

## IN MEMORIAM

### SMEREKA, Connie Lavern (Nelson)

*In a nearby cemetery  
Where the gentle breezes blow  
Lies the sister we loved so dearly  
Whom we lost two years ago.  
Her resting place we visit  
And put flowers there with care  
But no one knows the heartache  
As we turn and leave her there.  
Our thoughts are always with you  
Your place no one can fill  
In life we loved you dearly  
In death we love you still.  
It broke our hearts to lose you  
But you never went alone  
For part of us went with you  
The day God took you home.  
They say memories are golden  
And for some that may be true  
But we never wanted memories  
We only wanted you.*

"HAPPY BIRTHDAY"

## IN MEMORIAM

### SERNAIAK, Sheena Dawn

In loving memory of Sheena Dawn Serniak.

*We don't know how it happened  
We know not the reason why  
We only know how much we hurt  
Our hearts torn open wide.*

*You were so young, life just begun  
But God had made his call  
Thou it was His will, we miss you still  
For we are human after all.*

*Now you have winged your way  
To Heaven*

*To join our loved ones at God's throne  
Just keep watch on Heaven's Golden Gate  
One day we'll all be "HOME"*

*We will always miss you and love you Sheena.*

From Grandma Lawrence; Uncle Richard, Auntie Patti & Family; Uncle Kevin, Auntie Debbie & Family; Uncle Fred, Auntie Janet & Family; Uncle Darron, Auntie Cindy & Family.

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## SHEENA DAWN SERNAIAK

In loving memory of my daughter  
Sheena Dawn Serniak who passed away Sept. 9, 2002.

*When we are sad and lonely  
and everything goes wrong  
We seem to hear you whisper  
"Cheer up and carry on"  
Each time we see your picture  
You seem to smile and say,  
"Don't cry, I'm only resting,  
We'll meet again some day".*

*How little we thought that morning,  
What sorrow the day would bring  
Though we didn't know a thing  
It broke our hearts to lose you,  
But you didn't go alone,  
For part of us went with you  
The day God called you home.*

*If roses grow in Heaven, Lord,  
please pick a bunch for us  
Place them in my daughter's arm  
and tell her they're from us.*

*Tell her, we love her and we miss her,  
and when she turns to smile  
Place a kiss upon her cheek  
and hold her for a while*

*Remembering her is easy,  
we do it everyday  
But there's an ache within our hearts  
that will never go away.*

**Sheena Dawn Serniak forever loved and missed by Mommy, Bob, Shelbie and Family**

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## review

## COMMUNITY NEWSLINE

"Mother to Mother" Breastfeeding Support Group - meets 4th Monday of every month, 10 a.m. Call 724-3332 for more info. Expectant mothers and older siblings welcome.

Al-Anon Family Group Meeting, Room 605, Elk Point Municipal Hospital, Wednesday evening at 8:30 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous meeting, Wednesday at 8:30 p.m., Room 604, Elk Point Hospital.

"New To Town" FCSS would like to welcome and familiarize new families with the services and programs available in town. Welcome packages contain a community directory, volunteer directory, coupons, maps and more! Call 724-3800 for more information or drop by 4902 - 51 Street.

Elk Point Public Library - HOURS: Mon., Tues., Thurs. 1 p.m. - 5 p.m., Wed., 1 p.m. - 8 p.m., Fri., 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Photocopies. Extended library services and reliable information sources. Public meeting space available to non-profit organizations at no charge. Please call the Elk Point Library for booking at 724-3737.

The Elk Point Health Centre Auxiliary meets every fourth Monday at 7:30 p.m. in the Elk Point Health Centre meeting room. Everyone welcome!

Elk Point Auto Club - meets at the Empress Restaurant, Elk Point, the 2nd Wednesday of each month. More information call: Ed Smith at 724-2527.

Elk Point & Area "Stop Family Violence" Support Group - meetings are held 2 times a month. For more information call 724-2380, 724-3800 or 645-1950

Adoption/Foster Support Krew - meets every second Thursday. For more info call Judi at 724-2118.

Many Albertans gamble as a form of recreation. For a small minority, however, gambling becomes a problem. If you or someone you know is experiencing personal, social or financial problems as a result of their gambling, confidential help is available. Call 1-800-665-9676.

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**1 AUCTION**

BUD HAYNES Antique and Estate Auction, Sept. 13 and 14, 10 a.m., Bay 5, 7429 - 49 Ave., Red Deer. Glyn Owen and late Marie Owen. 10% buyer's premium. 403-347-5855, evenings 403-343-2929; www.budhaynesauctions.com.

**2 AUTO**

1991 JIMMY SLE 4X4 - 4-dr., excellent condition. Phone 780-635-2375. Sept9.  
1998 FORD F250 LARIAT TRUCK - 3-dr. extended cab; 2001 Crown Victoria car, some warranty left. Phone 780-724-3357. Sept9

1988 FORD F150 XLT LARIAT 1/2-TON - c/w raised canopy, dual tanks, 302 eng., air, pw, pdl, cruise, cassette, new hitch and wiring, running boards, \$3,200 obo. 645-4078. Sept16

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**6 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

LICENSED AUTOMOTIVE technician or apprentice with second year qualifications required at Campbell Chrysler, in Fairview, Alberta. Call 780-835-2415. Fax 780-835-3551 or apply in person.

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**6 EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES**

ED'S WELLHEAD SUPPLY in Slave Lake is accepting resumes for a field service and shop repair person. Experience is an asset. Fax resume and drivers licence abstract to 780-849-1904.

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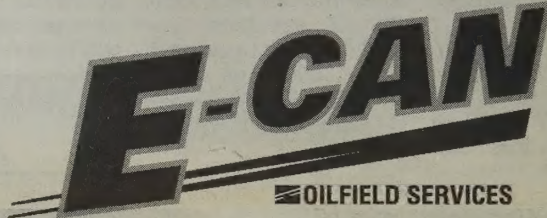
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## 8 FEED & SEED

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# Who will be Miss Teen Elk Point?

By Julie Young-Marcellin

National Director, Canada Pageants

The search is on for local titleholders to represent their community at the National Canada Pageants. Each pageant is looking for one candidate from cities and towns across Canada.

The 2004 Miss Teen Canada Scholarship, Ms National Canada and Mrs. Canada International Pageants will take place at the Wolf Performance Hall in London, Ontario in April, 2004. The Miss Pre-Teen Canada competition will be held April 4 at the London Delta Armouries.

The Miss Pre-Teen Canada pageant is open to girls 7-12 years of age. Miss Teen Canada Scholarship is open to teens ages 13-19 from across Canada. The winner will go on to compete in the miss Teen International Pageant. Ms National Canada is open to women 20 years and up. The Ms National Canada system provides women the opportunity to promote their commitment to education, career and involvement in their community. Mrs. Canada International is open to women, married for a minimum of six months, ages 21 to 56. The Mrs. Canada International system has been developed to promote today's married women, their accomplishments and commitment to family and marriage. The winner will compete in the Mrs. International Pageant.

Canada Pageants is not a conventional pageant system based on beauty as 40 - 50% of the total score is determined by interview about personal platform. Most contestants are not models and have no previous pageant experience. There are no swimsuit or talent competitions and for the pre-teens, there is a 'no makeup' rule in effect to keep kids as they are.

Last year in its inaugural year, Canada Pageants awarded over \$35,000 in scholarships and prizes. Participants enjoyed limousine transportation, red carpets, a television appearance, autograph signings and more.

Elk Point area titleholders will be announced October 30, 2003.

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# community NEWS

## North Saskatchewan Watershed Information shared at public open houses

If you are interested in knowing more about the environmental health of the North Saskatchewan River watershed, your opportunity is coming up this week.

State of the Watershed Open Houses are being held in Elk Point, Rocky Mountain House and Sherwood Park to share the information the NSWA has collected on the state of the watershed, including: land uses, water quantity and quality, and biological indicators.

At the Open Houses, Sharon Willanen, NSWA Manager, wants to gather community issues within the watershed. "We hope to get a broad range of citizens out to the Open Houses so that we hear lots of different perspectives about our water resources. The Open Houses will feature maps showing the distribution of the indicators in the watershed and presentations from local watershed organizations as well as children's activities."

To develop a watershed management plan, the NSWA realized they first needed to know more about the state of their watershed to identify any problems that could be later addressed in the plan. According to Willanen, a State of the Watershed Report is being prepared to "assess where we are now so we will be able to track our progress in improving or maintaining watershed

integrity in future years." TIndustries Association

The Elk Point open house will be held from 2:00 to 9:00 pm on September 11 at Elk Point Seniors Centre.

For more information please contact: Sharon Willanen (780) 496-3474, Sharon.willanen@edmonton.ca or visit the website: www.nswa.ab.ca

## Man injured in rollover

One man was injured last week following a single vehicle rollover.

According to RCMP, the 22-year-old, form Bonnyville, was partially ejected from his vehicle when it rolled and landed on its roof. he was trapped beneath the truck, a black 2001 Dodge 2500 extended cab 4 X 4.

He had been driving on Highway 567, known as Murphy Oil Road, 19 kilometres north of highway 646. the accident occurred at about 1 p.m. Wednesday.

The man was transported to University of Alberta Hospital in edmonton by STARS with undetermined injuries. RCMP have not released his name.

Alcohol and speed do not appear to be factors, state Elk Point RCMP in a written media release, and charges are not contemplated. The man was not wearing his seatbelt.

## CRIME STOPPERS

■ Sometime between 8:00 p.m. and 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, September 3, a set of Callaway golf clubs and black golf bag were stolen out of the box of a bronze 1997 Ford F250 4x4 extended cab truck which was parked in the lot of the Elk Point Golf and Country Club. The golf bag also contained a silver Esquire watch with a black strap and a Norcen Safety Award logo on the face.

■ In the early hours of August 14, a person or persons entered some yards located on 53 Avenue in Elk Point. They proceeded to steal some solar powered landscape lights. The lights are black in color and have a ring on top that allows them to hang. The lights are very costly to replace. Police aren't quite sure what the culprits were up to by entering these yards. They are urging residents to keep an eye on their properties along with their neighbors' and to notify police of any suspicious person(s) or activity. Police are aware of a party that occurred in the area of 53 Avenue on the night in question. If anyone who attended that party saw anything they are asked to call police.

■ On August 30 at 1:30 a.m. the Elk Point RCMP received a complaint that at the Frog Lake Pow-wow a black 1992 Pontiac four door Grand Prix was stolen. The vehicle was parked on the 29th at approximately 9:00 p.m. and the driver noticed that the car was gone around 9:30 p.m. The vehicle was later recovered, vandalized, later that morning on Highway 897 north of the Food and Fuel in Frog Lake. Missing from the car are two hand games sticks and three hand drums. The drums have the owners' names written on the inside.

Anyone with information regarding any of the above incidents is asked to call Crime Stoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477) or the Elk Point RCMP Detachment at (780) 724-3964.

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